

REMARKS

Claims 1-4 and 7-10 are rejected under 35 USC §102(b) and 103 as anticipated by and/or obvious on light of Johnson, U.S. 6,488,170 in combination with Berger et al., U.S. 6,640,992 and Lin, U.S. 6,659,302. Claims 5, 6, 11, and 12 are objected to dependent upon a rejected base claim, but otherwise in condition for allowance.

Applicant has amended claims 1 and 7 to incorporate elements of claims 5 and 11, therefore placing them in condition for allowance. Applicant has also amended claims 6 and 12 to make these claims dependent upon claims 1 and 7.

Applicant respectfully requests allowance of claims 1, 6, 7, and 12, as the above amendments have placed these claims into condition for allowance.

A petition and fee for extension of time in the present response of 1 month is enclosed herewith. Therefore this amendment is timely filed as of the date of deposit shown below.

Respectfully submitted,


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